

Docket No.: 050341-0041



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 20277
Joanne E. BURN, et al.	:	Confirmation Number: 3207
Application No.: 09/857,346	:	Group Art Unit: 1638
Filed: March 06, 2003	:	Examiner: Stuart Baum
For: CONTROL OF FLOWERING	:	

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated January 4, 2006, now due to expire February 4, 2006, be extended for three month(s) and set to expire on May 4, 2006.

Please charge the extension fee of \$1020.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

Respectfully submitted,

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